

PUBLIC NOTICE

EARLY VOTING NOTICE/ABSENTEE VOTING NOTICE

CITY OF FRANKLIN MUNICIPAL ELECTION

TUESDAY OCTOBER 23, 2007

The Williamson County Election Commission is hereby publishing notice of the early voting period for the **October 23, 2007, City of Franklin Municipal Election**. The Williamson County Election Commission will be open for early voting for any eligible voter within the City of Franklin or any properly registered property owner in the City of Franklin, to cast a ballot by personal appearance at the Election Commission Office located in the Williamson County Administrative Complex, 1320 West Main Street, Franklin, Tennessee, during a period beginning twenty (20) days prior to the election and ending five (5) days before the election. Therefore early voting will begin and end on the following dates:

Wednesday October 3, 2007 through Thursday, October 18, 2007

**OFFICE HOURS ARE MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
8:00 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M.**

Extended office hours for early voting will be:

**Saturday, October 6, 2007, and Saturday, October 13, 2007
Hours: 8:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon**

PROCEDURES FOR VOTING BY MAIL:

If you meet one of the conditions allowed to vote absentee by mail pursuant to T.C.A. §2-6-201, you must request a ballot in writing over your signature. Such request for an application may be received no earlier than ninety (90) days prior to the election, and must be received no later than seven (7) days before the election (Tuesday, October 16, 2007). The request may be mailed or faxed (615) (790-5617) to the election commission office.

A registered voter eligible (person hospitalized within twenty days of the election and unable to vote in person on election day) to request the service of an Emergency Registrar shall make such request not more than twenty (20) days (October 2, 2007, 4:30 P.M.) before the election and no later than the opening of the polls on election day.

VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES AND ELDERLY VOTER NOTICE

Pursuant to T.C.A. §2-3-109 (e), the following information applies to voters with disabilities and elderly voters where voting precincts are inaccessible. Those individuals are eligible to come to the Election Commission Office, located at the Williamson County Administrative Complex, 1320 West Main Street, Suite 140, Franklin, Tennessee, on election day, October 23 2007, and appear in person to vote. The voter must notify this office, on or before October 18, 2007, 4:30 P.M. if they wish to vote at the Election Office. The Election Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability. If you have questions about needed accommodations in the voting process, call 615-790-5711.

WRITE-IN-VOTE NOTICE

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 2-7-133 (i), any person attempting to be elected by write-in ballots shall complete a notice requesting such person's ballots be counted in each voting precinct no later than fifty (50) days (September 4, 2007, 4:30 P.M.) before the municipal election. Such person shall only have votes counted in elections were such notice was completed and timely filed. The notice shall be on a form prescribed by the Election Commission Office and shall not require any signatures of any person other than the write-in candidate requesting ballots to be counted. The form can be obtained from the Election Commission Office.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION

Thomas E. Murdic, Chairman

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Robert D. Brown, Member

Nell H. Jones, Member

Dana M. Smyth, Member

Attest: Ann Beard, Administrator of Elections

For more information, contact our office at (615) (790-5711)

or visit our website at

www.williamsoncounty-tn.gov

(Click on Election Registrar under Offices and Departments)